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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Patent Application of: Shuichi Matsumoto et al.

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For: Contents Providing Service System, Server Exam Apparatus, And Client Apparatus

Examiner: C. L. Hewitt

AMENDMENT

MS AF Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Office Action dated December 28, 2006, rejecting claims 1-4, 6-9, 11-14, 16-19, 21-24 AND 26-28, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application and consider the remarks set forth below.

Applicant hereby petitions under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) for an extension of time in which to respond to the outstanding Office Action and includes a fee as set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a) with this response for such extension of time.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 12 of this paper.